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*Utility Patent Application*

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Patent Application of:	)	
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Serial No.: 10/801,448	)	Examiner: Charles Ehne
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Assignee: Intel Corporation	)	
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Filed: March 12, 2004	)	
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For: <b>DYNAMIC INTERCONNECT WIDTH</b>	)	
<b>REDUCTION TO IMPROVE</b>	)	
<b>INTERCONNECT AVAILABILITY</b>	)	
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**RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed **October 24, 2006**, a request for a three month extension of time submitted herewith, Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to consider the following Remarks.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 9 of this paper.